State of California
Department of Parks and Recreation
NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
Russian River District
25381 Steelhead Boulevard, P.O. Box 123
Duncans Mills, CA 95430

PROJECT TITLE: Install One Self-Pay Station and Signs

LOCATION: Armstrong Redwoods State Natural Reserve

COUNTY: Sonoma

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Install one self-pay station ("iron ranger") and fee signage at the Entry Parking lot in Armstrong Redwoods State Natural Reserve to collect fees and monitor visitor use patterns. Work will manually excavate ten holes, 2-3ft deep by 18-24 inches wide to install one Iron Ranger, eight bollards, and one sign post. The Iron Ranger will be concreted in place. Sign post will be 4"x4"x6" redwood post. The bollards will be 36" depth and 6" diameter and will be installed with a layer of ¾" crushed rock and backfilled with native soil. Signage will be within existing developed parking lot with ADA access and parking

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Russian River District

EXEMPT STATUS:
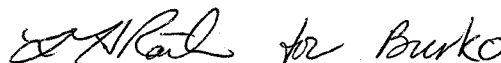☒ Categorical Exemption   *Classes: 3, 4, and 11*   *Sections: 15303, 15304, 15311*

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of construction and location of limited numbers of new structures; minor public alterations in the condition of land, water and/or vegetation which do not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry purposes; and construction or placement of minor structures accessory to (appurtenant to) existing facilities; included as "installation of signs" and "installation of fee collection devices" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR §15300.4.

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